

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
: Confirmation Number: 8803
Shinji INAZAWA, et al. :
Application No.: 10/517,821 : Group Art Unit: 1793
: Examiner: Jie Yang
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For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING FINE METAL POWDER

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

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Sir:

The following Remarks supplement the Request for Reconsideration filed July 7, 2008, which was filed in response to the Office Action dated February 5, 2008. An executed Declaration by co-inventor Keiji Koyama of the above-captioned application accompanies this Supplemental Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.